Dear Parents,

This newsletter is a wonderful opportunity to remind you of some exciting events still to occur this term that we would love you and your family to be a participant.

**Fete**

We have a small and dedicated group from our P&C who have worked very hard to ensure this is a great celebration for our community. There will be a wonderful array of market stalls, food and entertainment. Our award winning Big Band, Concert Band, Choirs and Dance Troupe will be performing. Our Drum Corp will open the day at 10:00 am. There are nine exciting rides for our students to enjoy. Arm bands are on sale Junior $20 and Senior $30. I look forward to celebrating this day with our special community.

**Guinness World Record**

Our school is endeavouring to break the Guinness World Record for the Most Riders in a bike bus. This record attempt will take place on September 17. The current record is 639. We are 1/3 of the way with registered riders. This may be the only time you have an opportunity to break a world record. Collect a form from the office and be part of history. Anyone can join in! Any child who rides will receive 10 points towards their citizenship badge and 5 points towards their Sport Band.

**Quadrennial School Review**

Next week every family will receive a survey form on aspects of our school. This year we are undertaking our Quadrennial School Review and setting our strategic direction for the next four years. Please complete and return the form to your child’s teacher. It is vital that our school reflects the community’s aspirations for your child. I value all opinions and our plan will endeavour to reflect our diversity and our high expectations for every student. Every family who returns a form will go into the draw for a photo shoot valued at $500.
Year 5 Camp
Our Year 5 students have this week attended a three day camp at Mr Tamborine. All reports were of fabulous behaviour and a great time was had by all. Thank you so much to Mr Stephenson, Mrs Litchfield, Mrs Eldrett, Mrs Heard, Mrs Nicholson, Mr Briggs, Mrs Jacobi, Mr Mayes and Miss McIlveen, for accompanying our students ensuring a wonderful opportunity was provided.

Let’s Have a Great Week.
Regards
Mrs Jacqui King
Principal

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<th>POSITION VACANT - SCHOOL CROSSING SUPERVISOR</th>
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<td>A casual position exists for a School Crossing Supervisor at Banksia Beach State School. This position also works at Bribie Island SS on a rostered basis, you may also need to relieve at other schools.</td>
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The School Crossing Supervisor may be required to work five days per week in all weather conditions. The hours of work for School Crossing Supervisors are normally 1.5 hours a day and usually comprise of one hour in the morning and ½ hour in the afternoon.

Application packages can be downloaded from our school website [https://banksiabeachss.eq.edu.au/Calendarandnews/News/Pages/School-Crossing-Supervisor-(Casual-Position).aspx](https://banksiabeachss.eq.edu.au/Calendarandnews/News/Pages/School-Crossing-Supervisor-(Casual-Position).aspx)

**Closing date: 3:00pm Friday, 5th September 2014**

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<th>POSITION VACANT – UNIFORM CONVENOR</th>
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<td>Minimum 15 hours per week</td>
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All applicants must apply in writing and address the relevant selection criteria as listed in the application package, which will be available from the school office. This position is a 12 month temporary contract and will be subject to review.

Applications should be addressed:

Private & Confidential  
P&C Secretary  
Banksia Beach State School  
PO Box 243  
BRIBIE ISLAND Q. 4507

Applications close on Friday, 19 September 2014, 3.00pm and remain current for 12 months.

The successful applicant will require a Working with Children’s Suitability Card or be required to apply for one. Banksia Beach State School P&C Association is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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<td>Queensland School Photography will be taking our Year 6 and Year 7 photos as well as Sport House Captains, Bands &amp; Choirs on Tuesday, 16 September 2014.</td>
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If you wish to buy one or more of these groups they are available at:

- 1 Photograph at: $18
- 2 Photographs at: $26
- 3 Photographs at: $34
- 4 Photographs at $10 each

All orders are prepaid - payment envelopes will sent home shortly with students.

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The Behaviour BBQ will be held on Thursday, 18 September at 12.00pm. Eligible students will be any student who has not received a yellow or red behaviour slip this term.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Well done to Mia Fanning who achieved the following results in the Sunshine Coast Junior Regional Gymnastics which was held on 10th August: Level 3 4th vault, 4th bars, 10th beam, 1st floor, 5th All Round. Congratulations Mia!
The Deck Café at Pacific Harbour Golf Club is an ideal family venue for refreshments, light snacks, or a delicious meal, and kids under 12 eat for free*. Offering casual café dining, The Deck’s menu has an array of fresh, seasonal modern-Australian cuisine. We are open every day for coffee and lunch and Thursday to Sunday for dinner. Kid’s meals include mini steaks, pasta, pizza, chicken tenders, and delicious fish and chips. Relax with family or friends on the wide decks that overlook the golf course with stunning views to the Glasshouse Mountains and beyond all set in a peaceful and sub-tropical setting. Don’t forget to keep up to date with all our events and offers by visiting [www.phgcc.com.au](http://www.phgcc.com.au) or follow us on Facebook.

*One children’s meal is complimentary with every main course ordered.

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### Date Claimers

#### August
- Thurs 28 & Fri 29 Year 1 excursion

#### September
- Saturday, 6 School Fete
- Friday, 12 Gold Awards Year 1
- Monday, 15 Gold Awards Year 3, PrepABC
- Tuesday, 16 Year 6/7 Photos, Sports/Bands/Choirs
- Wednesday, 17 Gold Awards Years 7, 5, 6
- Wednesday, 17 Bike Bus Challenge 8am Start
- Thursday, 18 Gold Awards Year 2
- Friday, 19 Last Day of Term

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### 2014 Fete

**Saturday, 6th September**

10am - 4pm

Preparations are under way for the School Fete.

The Fete will have all the usual highlights, plus a few surprises (that children and the adventurous will love) to be revealed on the day.

This year there will also be a variety of stalls run by local businesses and community members selling goods ranging from furniture and toys to tie-dying and craft.

**Look out for the fabulous raffle!!** First prize - 7 nights holiday at the Sheraton Fiji Resort for a family of 4. Tickets are being distributed throughout the school and will be on sale from 1st September in the Uniform Shop and on sale at the Fete. Draw to be held at 4.00pm on Fete Day.

#### Entertainment Schedule

- **10.00am** Banksia Beach State School Marching Band Drum Corp
- **10.15am** Year 7 Choral Presentation
- **10.30am** Step Up Dance Group
- **11.00am** Banksia Beach State School Big Band
- **12.00pm** Banksia Beach State School Concert Band
- **1.00pm** Footworks Dance Group
- **1.30pm** Year 5 Presentation
- **2.00pm** Banksia Beach State School Junior Choir
- **2.30pm** School Dance Troupe
- **3.00pm** Banksia Beach State School Senior Choir
- **3.30pm** Banksia Beach State School Big Band
- **4.00pm** Drawing of Fiji Raffle.